# **ABSOLUTE RATING:** Average **IMPROVEMENT RATING:** Average

Number of Elementary schools with students like ours: 76.

The absolute ratings for those schools ranged from unsatisfactory to good. For improvement ratings, the range was from unsatisfactory to excellent.

## **RATINGS OVER A 4-YEAR PERIOD**

Absolute Rating Average

Improvement Rating Average

2001 2002

2003 2004

(Definitions of School Rating Terms on Page 4)

# PALMETTO ACHIEVEMENT CHALLENGE TESTS (PACT) RESULTS

Our School

Schools With Students Like Ours









**Mathematics** 

English/ Language Arts

**Mathematics** 

English/ Language Arts

Advanced







**Below Basic** 

## **DEFINITIONS OF CRITICAL TERMS:**

- Advanced Student performance exceeded expectations.
- **Proficient** Student performance met expectations.
- Basic Student performance met minimum performance expectations.
- Below Basic Student performance did not meet minimum performance expectations.

Science scores are to be reported on the 2004 School Report Card. Social studies scores are to be reported on the 2005 School Report Card.

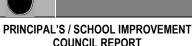
PERCENT OF STUDENTS SCORI	NG BASIC OR AB	OVE ON THE	PACT	
	English/			Social
Student Group	Language Arts	Math	Science	Studies
All students (n=362)	67.7	58.8	N/A	N/A
Students with disabilities other than				
Speech (n=43)	34.9	25.6		
Students without disabilities (n=319)	72.1	63.3		
Gender				
Male (n=188)	61.7	58		
Female (n=174)	74.1	59.8		
Ethnic Group				
African American (n=176)	50.6	41.5		
Hispanic (n=6)	N/A	N/A		
White (n=179)	84.9	76.5		
Other (n=1)	N/A	N/A		
Lunch Status Group				
Free/reduced-price Lunch (n=288)	62.5	51.4		
Pay for lunch (n=74)	87.8	87.8		

# **SCHOOL PROFILE** INDICATORS OF SCHOOL PERFORMANCE

		Change From	Schools with Students	Median Elementary
	Our School	Last Year	like ours	School
SCHOOL				
Dollars spent per student	\$6,115	N/A	\$5,469	\$5,347
<ul> <li>Prime instructional time</li> </ul>	89.6%	Up from 88.5%	89.2%	90.2%
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	20.1 to 1	N/A	18 to 1	18.7 to 1
STUDENTS (n=671)				
Attendance Rate	96.1%	Up from 95.8%	95.9%	96.2%
<ul> <li>Students with disabilities other than speech taking PACT (ELA) off grade level</li> </ul>	11.9%	N/A	5.7%	4.1%
<ul> <li>Students with disabilities other than speech taking PACT (math) off grade level</li> </ul>	11.3%	N/A	4.7%	3.1%
<ul> <li>First graders who attended full day kindergarten</li> </ul>	98.9%	No change	96.6%	96.3%
<ul> <li>Meeting grade 1 and 2 readiness standards</li> </ul>	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Retention rate	3.6%	Down from 3.7%	4.6%	3.6%
TEACHERS (n=52)				
<ul> <li>Professional Development days per teacher</li> </ul>	9.9 Days	Up from 6.6	8.1 Days	7.6 days
Attendance Rate	94.6%	Up from 93.6%	94.7%	95.1%
<ul> <li>Teachers with advanced degrees</li> </ul>	28.8%	Up from 25.5%	42.4%	47.7%
Continuing contract teachers	82.7%	Up from 79.2%	80.6%	83.8%
<ul> <li>Teachers with out-of-field permits</li> </ul>	0%	No change	0%	0.0%
Teachers returning from the previous school year	93.5%	Up from 92.2%	86.7%	87.2%
Average teacher salary	\$39,330	Up 8.4%	\$36,323	\$37,520

#### **SCHOOL FACTS**

		Change From	Schools with Students	Median Elementary
	Our School	Last Year	like ours	School
SCHOOL				
<ul> <li>Percentage of expenditures spent on teacher salaries</li> </ul>	62.3%	N/A	64.8%	65.3%
<ul> <li>Principal's years at the school</li> </ul>	17	N/A	3	4.0
<ul> <li>Parents attending conferences</li> </ul>	99%	N/A	94.7%	95.6%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	N/A	Good	Good
STUDENTS				
<ul> <li>On academic plans</li> </ul>	52.1%	Up from 31.6%	52.1%	43.1%
<ul> <li>On academic probation</li> </ul>	0%	N/A	0%	0.0%
<ul> <li>Older than usual for grade</li> </ul>	2.4%	Up from 0.7%	1.7%	1.1%
<ul> <li>Suspended or expelled</li> </ul>	60	N/A	2	1
<ul> <li>Gifted and talented</li> </ul>	10.1%	Up from 9.5%	7.9%	11.5%
<ul> <li>With disabilities other than speech</li> </ul>	0.7%	Down from 8.7%	8.5%	8.4%



This has been a super year at Green Sea Floyds Elementary. Our students have performed well academically. Our student council provided many services to the community and school. Among our accomplishments are:

- All students (K-6 grade) received instruction in Spanish and computer lab;
- School Improvement Council rewarded 5 students for making all A's and perfect attendance in grades 1-6;
- 1,508 awards were given in the Renaissance Program;
- Students accumulated 21,768 points in the Accelerated Reader Program, with four students receiving a \$50 savings bond for being the top readers; and
- 200 students participated in the Math Celebration.

Our staff worked hard to achieve our performance goals included in our strategic plan and five-year renewal plan. Weekly grade level meetings were held for teachers to plan curriculum with our curriculum specialist. The Literacy and Numeracy Models were implemented in all grade levels. Science kits for grades 2-5 were provided by the Waccamaw Science Hub. An extended school day was offered to students performing below grade level. One teacher completed her requirements for National Board Certification.

Our PTA raised funds for the Renaissance Program and field trips. The challenges for the 2002 school year include providing a set curriculum for the extended school day, improving PACT scores, increasing student and staff attendance, and engaging more community members in improving student achievement.

Shirley Huggins, Principal



Green Sea Floyds Elementary 5200 Hwy. 9, West Green Sea, SC 29545

**Grades PK-6 Elementary School** 

**Enrollment:** 671 Students

Principal

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**Board Chair** 

Helen M. Smith 843-236-3333

# THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Annual School Report Card
Report Card

2001

School Grade: Average

#### **EVALUATIONS BY TEACHERS AND STUDENTS**

Percent	Teachers	Students	Parents
Satisfied with learning environment	83.0	82.0	(Avail. 2002)
Satisfied with social and physical environment	80.9	81.8	
Satisfied with home-school relations	55.3	92.0	

#### DEFINITIONS OF SCHOOL RATING TERMS

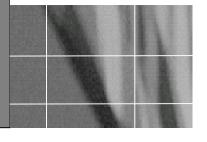
Excellent – School performance substantially exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

Good – School performance exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

Average – School performance meets the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

Below Average – School is in jeopardy of not meeting the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

Unsatisfactory – School performance fails to meet the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.



## South Carolina Performance Goal:

By 2010, South Carolina's student achievement will be ranked in the top half of the states nationally. To achieve this goal, we must become one of the five fastest improving systems in the country.

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